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# UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT DISTRICT OF NEW JERSEY

	Chapter 11
BLOCKFI INC., et al.,  Debtors. 1	Case No. 22-19361 (MBK)
	(Jointly Administered)
	Debtors. <sup>1</sup>

# ORDER APPROVING THE STIPULATION STAYING LITIGATION AND RELATED DISCOVERY CONCERNING THE ROBINHOOD ASSETS

The relief set forth on the following pages numbered two (2) through thirteen (13) is

<sup>1</sup> The Debtors in these Chapter 11 Cases, along with the last four digits of each Debtor's federal tax identification number, are: BlockFi Inc. (0015); BlockFi Trading LLC (2487); BlockFi Lending LLC (5017); BlockFi Wallet LLC (3231); BlockFi Ventures LLC (9937); BlockFi International Ltd. (N/A); BlockFi Investment Products LLC (2422); BlockFi Services, Inc. (5965); and BlockFi Lending II LLC (0154). The location of the Debtors' service address is 201 Montgomery Street, Suite 263, Jersey City, NJ 07302.

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# STIPULATION STAYING LITIGATION AND RELATED DISCOVERY

This stipulation (the "<u>Stipulation</u>") is being entered into among the following: (i) BlockFi, Inc. and its affiliated debtors, debtors-in-possession, and their respective bankruptcy estates (collectively, "<u>BlockFi</u>"); (ii) Emergent Fidelity Technologies, Ltd. and its bankruptcy estate ("<u>Emergent</u>"); and (iii) FTX Trading Ltd. and its affiliated debtors, debtors-in-possession, and their respective bankruptcy estates (collectively, "<u>FTX</u>"). BlockFi, Emergent, and FTX are each a "Party" and collectively, the "Parties."

# **RECITALS**

WHEREAS, BlockFi are debtors in the Chapter 11 cases jointly administered under the case styled *In re BlockFi, Inc., et. al*, Case No. 22-19361 (MBK), pending in the United States Bankruptcy Court for the District of New Jersey (the "BlockFi Bankruptcy Cases");<sup>2</sup>

WHEREAS, Emergent is the debtor in a Chapter 11 case styled *In re Emergent Fidelity Technologies*, *Ltd.*, Case No. 23-10149 (JTD), and jointly administered under the case styled *In re FTX Trading*, *Ltd.*, *et. al*, Case No. 22-11068 (JTD) pending in the United States Bankruptcy Court for the District of Delaware (the "Emergent Bankruptcy Case");<sup>3</sup>

**WHEREAS,** FTX are debtors in the Chapter 11 cases jointly administered under the case styled *In re FTX Trading, Ltd., et. al*, Case No. 22-11068 (JTD), pending in the United States

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> The Debtors in the BlockFi Bankruptcy Cases, along with the last four digits of each Debtor's federal tax identification number, are: BlockFi Inc. (0015); BlockFi Trading LLC (2487); BlockFi Lending LLC (5017); BlockFi Wallet LLC (3231); BlockFi Ventures LLC (9937); BlockFi International Ltd. (N/A); BlockFi Investment Products LLC (2422); BlockFi Services, Inc. (5965) and BlockFi Lending II LLC (0154). The location of the Debtors' service address is 201 Montgomery Street, Suite 263, Jersey City, New Jersey 07302.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Emergent Fidelity Technologies Ltd, is a company formed under the laws of Antigua and Barbuda with registration number 17532 as identified by the Antigua and Barbuda Financial Services Regulatory Commission. Emergent's principal place of business is Unit 3B, Bryson's Commercial Complex, Friars Hill Road, St. John's, Antigua and Barbuda.

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Bankruptcy Court for the District of Delaware (the "FTX Bankruptcy Cases");4

WHEREAS, on November 28, 2022, BlockFi Inc. and two of its affiliated debtors in the BlockFi Bankruptcy Cases filed an adversary proceeding complaint against Emergent and Marex Capital Markets Inc., formerly known as ED&F Man Capital Markets Inc. ("Marex"), Adversary Proceeding No. 22-01382 (MBK), pending in the United States Bankruptcy Court for the District of New Jersey (the "BlockFi Adversary Proceeding");

WHEREAS, prior to the Seizure (as defined below), Emergent had accounts at Marex that held, among other things, 55,273,469 shares of common stock of Robinhood Markets Inc. (NASDAQ ticker symbol: HOOD) and certain proceeds therefrom, including approximately \$20.7 million in cash (the "Robinhood Assets");

**WHEREAS,** BlockFi asserts that it has rights, title, ownership of, and/or claims and liens to and against the Robinhood Assets, arising from a certain Pledge Agreement entered into between Emergent and BlockFi with respect to debt owed by FTX debtor Alameda Research Ltd. to BlockFi;

**WHEREAS,** FTX asserts that it has rights, title, and ownership of the Robinhood Assets, or in the alternative asserts that it is a creditor of Emergent with respect to the Robinhood Assets;

WHEREAS, the United States of America (the "Government"), acting through the United States Attorney for the Southern District of New York, has a criminal case against Samuel

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> The last four digits of Debtors FTX Trading Ltd.'s and Alameda Research LLC's tax identification number are 3288 and 4063 respectively. Due to the large number of debtor entities in the FTX Bankruptcy Cases, a complete list of the FTX Debtors and the last four digits of their federal tax identification numbers is not provided herein. A complete list of such information may be obtained on the website of the FTX Debtors' claims and noticing agent at https://cases.ra.kroll.com/FTX.

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Bankman-Fried, Zixiao (Gary) Wang, Caroline Ellison, and Nishad Singh in the action styled

United States of America v. Samuel Bankman-Fried a/k/a "SBF," et al., 22 Cr. 673, pending in

the United States District Court for the Southern District of New York (the "SBF Criminal

Proceeding"). Mr. Bankman-Fried is currently scheduled for trial beginning on October 2, 2023;

WHEREAS, on December 30, 2022, the Honorable Katherine H. Parker, United States

Magistrate Judge for the Southern District of New York, signed a Warrant of Seizure for the

Robinhood Assets;

WHEREAS, on January 6, 2023, and January 11, 2023, the Government filed a Notice of

Asset Seizures in the BlockFi Bankruptcy Cases and the FTX Bankruptcy Cases, respectively,

stating that it had seized the Robinhood Assets (the "Seizure");

WHEREAS, on January 20, 2023, the Government filed its Forfeiture Bill of Particulars

in the SBF Criminal Proceeding, identifying specific assets that it seized from various sources,

including the Robinhood Assets "held in the name of 'Emergent Fidelity Technologies" in Marex

accounts numbered \*9\*-\*\*\*00 and \*2\*-\*\*\*00. The Robinhood Assets, which are in the

Government's possession, custody, and control pending the outcome of the SBF Criminal

Proceeding and, if Mr. Bankman-Fried is convicted of or pleads guilty to certain offenses, a

subsequent forfeiture proceeding (the "Forfeiture Proceeding");

WHEREAS, BlockFi intends to amend the complaint in the BlockFi Adversary

Proceeding to further substantiate, supplement, and add to its current claims against Emergent and

Marex;

WHEREAS, Emergent intends to file an adversary proceeding in the Emergent

Bankruptcy Case seeking, among other things, avoidance of all transfers of any interests (including

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security interests) in Emergent's property made to BlockFi, the disallowance of BlockFi's claims

against Emergent, and a declaration that BlockFi has no rights, title, ownership interests, or

security interests to or in the Robinhood Assets;

WHEREAS, FTX intends to file an adversary proceeding in the FTX Bankruptcy Cases

seeking, among other things, to establish ownership of the Robinhood Assets and avoidance of the

transfer of the Robinhood Assets to Emergent and/or their pledge to BlockFi;

WHEREAS, the Government has advised BlockFi, Emergent, and FTX that the BlockFi

Adversary Proceeding and any further litigation among the Parties with respect to claims, rights,

interests, liens, or ownership with respect to the Robinhood Assets could potentially interfere with

the SBF Criminal Proceeding and/or the Forfeiture Proceeding;

WHEREAS, at a hearing on March 14, 2023, in the Emergent Bankruptcy Proceeding, the

Delaware Bankruptcy Court informed the Parties that it will not issue rulings with respect to

ownership of the Robinhood Assets for so long as the District Court hearing the SBF Criminal

Proceeding and potentially the Forfeiture Proceeding asserts jurisdiction over the Robinhood

Assets;

WHEREAS, the Parties agree that, except as set forth herein, it is in the best interests of

justice and the Parties and their respective bankruptcy estates to agree to stay and not to seek or

otherwise commence or pursue litigation (in the United States or any other jurisdiction), or

otherwise pursue a ruling or judgment from any court, determining interests in, ownership of,

rights or claims to, or liens with respect to the Robinhood Assets, including without limitation

litigation among any of the Parties to determine the validity or allowance of any Party's claims

against Emergent or any Party's alleged interests in the Robinhood Assets (collectively

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"Robinhood Assets Litigation"), outside of (i) the SBF Criminal Proceeding and (ii) if any, the

Forfeiture Proceeding (each exclusive of any appeals) (the satisfaction of both conditions being

the "Criminal Proceedings Conclusion");

WHEREAS, the Parties acknowledge they may deem it necessary to file claims, motions

or objections to protect their rights in any or all of the BlockFi Bankruptcy Cases, the Emergent

Bankruptcy Case, and the FTX Bankruptcy Cases, both related and unrelated to the Robinhood

Assets, and that nothing in this Stipulation shall prevent any Party from doing so; provided that

any claims, motions, or objections concerning the Robinhood Assets shall be consistent with the

provisions of this Stipulation; and

WHEREAS, the Parties have engaged in arm's length negotiations regarding a stay of the

Robinhood Assets Litigation.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY STIPULATED AND AGREED by and among

the undersigned counsel for the Parties, as follows:

1. <u>Recitals Incorporated</u>. The recitals and paragraphs set forth above are hereby

incorporated in full and made part of this Stipulation.

2. Approval of the Stipulation by the Bankruptcy Courts. This Stipulation shall be

filed and submitted for approval by the respective debtor(s) in the BlockFi Adversary Proceeding,

the BlockFi Bankruptcy Cases, the Emergent Bankruptcy Case, and the FTX Bankruptcy Cases.

The effectiveness and enforceability of this Stipulation is conditioned on the respective

Bankruptcy Courts approving the respective stipulations filed before them (and the provisions of

Paragraphs 4 and 5 of this Stipulation are conditioned on both Bankruptcy Courts granting all the

relief contemplated therein). The submission of this Stipulation for approval in any bankruptcy

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of the terms and conditions of this Stipulation.

that would apply independently of this Stipulation.

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court shall not constitute a submission by any Party to the jurisdiction of that court, and all jurisdictional rights and arguments of the Parties with respect to any such proceeding are expressly reserved. No Party shall argue that any other Party consented to the jurisdiction of any court, or waived any jurisdictional argument involving the Robinhood Assets due to the filing and approval

3. Stay of the Robinhood Assets Litigation. Subject only to Paragraphs, 4, 5, and 7 below, the relevant Parties shall in good faith seek a stay of the BlockFi Adversary Proceeding and no Party shall commence or prosecute any other Robinhood Assets Litigation before any domestic or foreign tribunal, outside of the SBF Criminal Proceeding and Forfeiture Proceeding, until the Criminal Proceedings Conclusion; provided, however, nothing in this Stipulation shall restrict or prevent any Party from (i) filing proofs of claim with respect to the Robinhood Assets in any of the BlockFi Bankruptcy Cases, the FTX Bankruptcy Cases, or the Emergent Bankruptcy Case; or (ii) filing pleadings or other documents in any bankruptcy proceeding or other forum necessary to preserve a Party's rights in the Robinhood Assets, including in response to any plan of reorganization that may be filed in any of the Parties' Bankruptcy Cases, or to safeguard a Party's rights and protections as a debtor in any insolvency proceeding. For the avoidance of doubt, unless otherwise set forth herein, until the Criminal Proceedings Conclusion, no Party shall file any pleadings or other documents requesting affirmative relief with respect to the Robinhood Assets outside of the Forfeiture Proceeding. For the further avoidance of doubt, nothing in this Stipulation shall prohibit any of the Parties from discussing, negotiating, or settling any disputes related to the Robinhood Assets or otherwise as among themselves, subject to any approvals or other procedures

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4. <u>Emergent Stay Stipulation</u>. If BlockFi requests, Emergent shall stipulate to relief from the automatic stay in the Emergent Bankruptcy Case for the limited purpose of permitting

BlockFi to file and serve an amended complaint in the BlockFi Adversary Proceeding, including

against Emergent. If the Delaware Bankruptcy Court approves such stipulation and modifies the

stay, and if BlockFi files an amended complaint in the BlockFi Adversary Proceeding, then

BlockFi shall thereafter immediately seek a stay of the BlockFi Adversary Proceeding from the

New Jersey Bankruptcy Court until after the Criminal Proceedings Conclusion.

5. <u>BlockFi Stay Stipulation</u>. If Emergent requests, BlockFi shall stipulate to relief

from the automatic stay in the BlockFi Bankruptcy Case for the limited purpose of permitting

Emergent to file and serve a complaint commencing an adversary proceeding against BlockFi in

the Delaware Bankruptcy Court related to the Robinhood Assets (the "Emergent Adversary

Proceeding"). If the New Jersey Bankruptcy Court approves such stipulation and modifies the

stay, and if Emergent files such a complaint, then Emergent shall thereafter immediately seek a

stay of that adversary proceeding from the Delaware Bankruptcy Court until after the Criminal

Proceedings Conclusion.

6. <u>Discovery</u>. Consistent with a stay of all Robinhood Assets Litigation, the Parties

agree that they will not seek discovery before any domestic or foreign tribunal from (i) any other

Party or (ii) any defendant in the SBF Criminal Proceeding, in each case only with respect to

interests in, ownership of, rights or claims to, or liens with respect to, the Robinhood Assets (the

"Robinhood Assets Subject Matter") until the conclusion of the SBF Criminal Proceeding.

Notwithstanding any other provisions of this Stipulation:

a. within 90 days after the effectiveness of this Stipulation, each Party shall

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provide to the other Parties those documents and communications (including electronically

stored information) within such Party's possession, custody, or control that, in such Party's

good faith determination, relate to the Robinhood Assets Subject Matter (including,

without limitation, documents and communications that, in such Party's good faith

determination, relate to any claim or defense in the BlockFi Adversary Proceeding or the

Emergent Adversary Proceeding);

b. if at any time thereafter a Party discovers or receives any document or

communication (including electronically stored information) not already provided

hereunder that, in such Party's good faith determination, relates to the Robinhood Assets

Subject Matter, such Party shall provide such document or communication reasonably

promptly to the other Parties;

c. within 90 days after the effectiveness of this Stipulation, Emergent shall

identify to BlockFi and FTX all defenses it intends to assert in the BlockFi Adversary

Proceeding (and, if BlockFi files an amended complaint in the BlockFi Adversary

Proceeding, within 45 days after such filing, identify all additional defenses Emergent

intends to assert);

d. with respect to the obligations set forth in Paragraph 6 of this Stipulation,

no Party shall be required to re-produce documents that have already been publicly filed in

any of the BlockFi Bankruptcy Cases, the FTX Bankruptcy Cases, and/or the Emergent

Bankruptcy Case;

e. aside from the provisions set forth in Paragraphs 6 and 7 of this Stipulation,

no Party may seek any formal discovery from any other Party concerning the Robinhood

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Assets Subject Matter prior to the Criminal Proceedings Conclusion without leave of Court for good cause shown; and

- f. any Party may seek from or provide to any other Party information on an informal basis relating to any subject.
- 7. Forfeiture Proceeding Rights Reserved. Nothing in this Stipulation affects or encumbers in any way a Party's procedural or substantive rights, claims, or defenses that may be asserted in any Forfeiture Proceeding involving the Robinhood Assets or any existing right to participate in such Forfeiture Proceeding. For the avoidance of doubt, no Party shall object to any other Party raising any rights, claims, or defenses in the Forfeiture Proceeding that the other Party could have raised in any of the litigations being stayed pursuant to this Stipulation. Nothing in this Stipulation affects or encumbers in any way a Party's procedural or substantive rights, claims, or defenses that may be asserted in any other criminal, civil, or forfeiture proceedings not specifically included in this Stipulation.
- 8. Proofs of Claim. If a bar date for filing a proof of claim in the BlockFi Bankruptcy Cases, the Emergent Bankruptcy Case, and/or the FTX Bankruptcy Cases occurs before the Criminal Proceedings Conclusion, any Party may file such proof or proofs of claim. BlockFi, Emergent, and FTX may object to any such claims to preserve rights as necessary, but the relevant Parties shall work in good faith, and shall seek the appropriate Bankruptcy Court's permission, to defer all prosecution and adjudication of any objection to any portion of such claim asserting interests in, ownership of, rights or claims to, or liens with respect to the Robinhood Assets within the applicable Bankruptcy Case until after the Criminal Proceedings Conclusion.
  - 9. <u>General Reservations of Rights</u>. Nothing in this Stipulation (including the recitals

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incorporated herein) shall constitute an admission on a factual issue or a concession on a legal issue or shall in any way affect or encumber any Party's claims and defenses against another Party or any Party's interests in, ownership of, rights or claims to, or liens with respect to the Robinhood Assets. Neither this Stipulation, nor the provision of documents and communications hereunder, shall constitute an admission as to the relevance of any document or communication to any claim, defense, or proceeding. Nothing in this Stipulation shall affect, encumber, or restrict any Party from seeking discovery from any person (i) in the Forfeiture Proceeding or after the conclusion of the SBF Criminal Proceeding or (ii) at any time on any subject or issue, including in any bankruptcy proceeding, except as set forth in Paragraph 6. Further, nothing in this Stipulation shall affect, encumber, or restrict any inter-estate discovery occurring within the Parties' respective bankruptcy cases. Nothing in this Stipulation in any way affects or encumbers any Party's rights to assert or otherwise pursue any claims, causes of action, interests, rights, or defenses against another Party, including in the BlockFi Bankruptcy Cases, the Emergent Bankruptcy Case, or the FTX Bankruptcy Cases, other than with respect to the Robinhood Assets prior to the Criminal Proceedings Conclusion as set forth in this Stipulation. Nothing in this Stipulation shall preclude any party from complying with requests from the Government or cooperating with any government investigation. Nothing in this Stipulation prohibits the Parties from taking procedural or administrative actions to maintain their respective Bankruptcy Cases. Nothing in this Stipulation shall prevent Emergent's Liquidators from acting (or causing Emergent to act) in accordance with their duties as court-appointed liquidators (i) in connection with litigation between Emergent and Mr. Bankman-Fried in Antigua (including without limitation litigation in claims ANUHCV 0456/2022 and ANUHCV 0480/2022 and any appeals therefrom), and (ii) insofar as they may be

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ordered or directed by any court with jurisdiction over the Emergent's liquidation proceeding

provided, however, in doing so Emergent's liquidators may not pursue a ruling or judgment

determining interests in, ownership of, rights or claims to, or liens with respect to the Robinhood

Assets, including without limitation to determine the validity or allowance of any Party's claims

against Emergent or any Party's alleged interests in the Robinhood Assets, beyond what is

provided for in this Stipulation, while this Stipulation is in effect.

10. <u>Jurisdiction</u>. Each of the Courts presiding over the BlockFi Bankruptcy Cases, the

Emergent Bankruptcy Case, and the FTX Bankruptcy Cases shall retain concurrent jurisdiction to

hear and determine matters arising from or relating to the implementation, interpretation, and

enforcement of this Stipulation. Any Party may apply to the Court in which that Party's

bankruptcy proceedings are pending for relief from the terms of this Stipulation at any time, and

such relief shall be granted only upon a showing of good cause upon notice to all Parties. Nothing

in this Stipulation shall prevent Emergent from filing a proposed cross-border administration

protocol and/or seeking instructions from the courts in the U.S. and/or in Antigua insofar as

consistent with this Stipulation.

11. Governing Law. This Stipulation shall be governed by, and construed in

accordance with, the law of the State of New York, without regard to conflict-of-law principles.

12. <u>Entire Agreement</u>. This Stipulation constitutes the entire agreement among the

Parties, and may not be changed, modified or altered in any manner, except in writing, signed by

each Party.

13. Execution in Counterparts. This Stipulation may be executed in one or more

counterparts, each of which shall be deemed an original but all of which together shall constitute

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one and the same instrument. Any signature delivered by a Party electronically shall be deemed an original signature hereto.

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